

Rew England Donor Services

- hereas There are more than 108,000 Americans, with more than 6,000 in New England who are currently waiting for a life-saving organ transplant; and
- hereas There are over one million life-enhancing tissue transplants each year that are made possible by the generous donation of corneas, bone, skin or other tissue, and;
- bereas We can all help to save someone's life and benefit up to 50 recipients by signing up to become an organ and tissue donor by enrolling in the Massachusetts Donor Registry when we apply for, or renew, our drivers licenses or by registering on-line at www.RegisterMe.org; and
- hereas Massachusetts is a leader in Donor Designation Rates and is dedicated to making it fast and easy to sign up to save a life through our Registry of Motor Vehicles; and
- **hereas** This observance pays tribute to organ and tissue donors and their families whose decision to Donate Life enables others to receive life-saving organs and tissues for transplant,
- proclaim April 2021, to be,

DONATE LIFE MONTH

And urge all the citizens of Sheffield to take cognizance of this event and participate fittingly in its observance.

Rene C. Wood, Chairman